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Re: **Application No.:** 10/797,331  
**Confirmation No.:** 4299  
**Applicants:** H. Thomas Graef, et al.  
**Title:** ATM Currency Presenter Gate Arrangement  
**Docket No.:** D-1222 R5

Sir:

Please find enclosed Applicants' Response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2005 for filing in the above identified Application.

One extra independent claim is presented herein. Please charge the fee (\$200) associated with the submission of one independent claim in excess of three independent claims and any other fee due to Deposit Account 09-0428.

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In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2005, kindly amend the above  
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